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15,000 Visitors Tour Campus

An enthusiastic crowd of more than 15,000 people dodged rain and puddles to see countless exhibits and demonstrations at UVic's two-day Open House last weekend, making the event "a swimming success."

President Hugh Farquhar commented Monday that the free and easy atmosphere sustained by the hard-working faculty, staff and students made the weekend "an outstanding success."

"Those involved should be thanked for their efforts to display the University, and we want to thank the public for their involvement," he said. "We want the public to feel free to come to the University."

They came in droves on Saturday and Sunday, filling the lecture halls, sampling croissants and lingering at various displays.

There was standing room only in the Elliott Building for demonstrations by UVic's scientific glassblowers who awed

the youngsters with their deft manipulations of molten glass.

While some strolled past basement labs, others scurried over to watch the University Rock Scaling Club walk up the outside of the Library and then swing over the crowds to the roof of the Clearibue Building.

The choice of what to see at the Open House was a difficult one, especially for those from distant areas. Usually, they compromised and took in everything. While delegates from Evergreen College, Olympia, Washington, and Simon Fraser University made notes on the highly-organized and informative format, Provincial cabinet ministers Donald Brothers, Ray Williston and Waldo Skillings took informal note of such displays as the children's art in MacLaurin Building, the animals in the psychology research display and the shimmering soap bubbles created by the Department of Mathematics.

Open House chairman R.R. Jeffels said there were so many displays and so many people from the community viewing them that it would be impossible to say which attracted the greatest number. All displays, demonstrations and lectures were well received by the visitors.

"It was high time the University displayed itself to the community," he said. "The aim of the exercise was to demonstrate to the public that their monies are well-spent. I think we achieved that."

Biology Building Dedicated To Teacher

The Cunningham Building for biological sciences was officially opened March 3 by Resources Minister Ray Williston "for present and future generations."

The building, completed in November 1970, is named in honour of Jeffree Cunningham, B.A., LL.D., retired biologist at Victoria College.

Despite a chilly wind, more than 100 guests stood outside for the ceremony to hear Chancellor Roderick Haig-Brown describe Dr. Cunningham as an outstanding teacher and administrator during his 40 years of service.

Dr. Cunningham was unable to attend the ceremony but was represented by Dr. Gordon Fields who conveyed Dr. Cunningham's greetings.

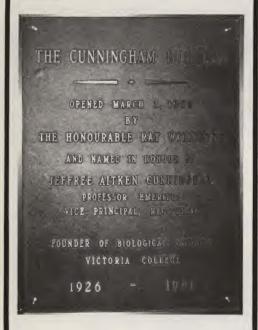
In a prepared speech, Dr. Cunningham said, "Ecology and environment are words on everyone's lips but lip service is not enough. Man's conscience must be stirred and he must act, if we are to be prevented from joining the dinosaurs. It is my heartfelt hope that the staff of this building will dedicate themselves to fighting this environmental problem."

President Hugh Farquhar, participating in his first ceremonial occasion as president, paid tribute to Dr. Cunningham and others who laid the groundwork for biological sciences at the University. He made special reference to Dr. Fields who fol-

lowed Dr. Cunningham as department head, and Dr. F.T. Algard who was on the building's planning committee.

Also taking part in the ceremonies were Dr. G.O. Mackie, chairman of the Department of Biology, Dean John Climenhaga, Dean of Arts and Science, and Mr. Wayne Farmer, Farmer Construction Ltd.

Following the outdoor activities, the participants and guests moved to MacLaurin 144 for a lecture on "Living and Learning by the Sea" by Dr. D.M. Ross, Dean of Science, University of Alberta.



Reading Specialist at Conference

The International Reading Association, Vancouver Island Chapter, will hold its spring conference March 25 in the MacLaurin Building. The theme is "Helping The Child With Reading Difficulties."

The main speaker will be Dr. John Manning, University of Minnesota, a Primary Reading Specialist for the Scott Foresman Reading System and one of the authors for the Readers' Digest Skill Builders. He will speak on "Two Kinds of Kids" and "Oral Reading, the Science and the Art."

Workshop chairmen from UVic will include Dr. Ron Tinney, Dr. John Downing and Dr. Cliff Pennock. In addition, workshops will be directed by Mrs. Margaret MacDonald, Coquitlam School



The expressions on the faces of visitors to Open House captured by the camera bear testimony to the interest of Victorians in their university. Young and old found the displays fascinating. It's difficult to tell from the pictures who enjoyed the show more—visitor or visited.

District; K.G. Langford, B.C. Youth Development Centre, Burnaby; Jim Ellis, George Jay Elementary, Victoria; and Dr. Ken Slade, Dr. Ed Summers and Dr. Jane Catterson, all of the University of British Columbia.

Conference organizers are Dr. Lloyd O. Ollila, Dr. Terry D. Johnson and Mrs. Ann Shafer, Department of Education.

Students Tag for Children

UVic student volunteers will canvas the city March 25 selling bunny tail tags in aid of the Crippled Children's Fund.

Organizer Bill Duggan is hoping 150 students will volunteer for Tag Day. The annual campaign is part of the fund drive by the Crippled Children's Society of British Columbia. All money raised by the students will go for crippled children.

Those wishing to participate may sign a list at the SUB office or call Bill Duggan, 479-3854.

Transportation to downtown locations will be provided from the SUB by the Crippled Children's bus.

Craft Fair Opens

More than 30 talented young artists from the Greater Victoria area are displaying their work and craft skills at a Quality Handcrafts and Fine Arts Fair set for the SUB today and Saturday.

Purpose of the fair is to give student and non-student artists a chance to demonstrate their skills at an open showing, said Alma Mater Society manager Dave Titterton. There is no charge for entering artists or interested public. The displays are set up in the SUB main lobby and lounge and may be seen today until 9 pm and Saturday from 9 am to 12 midnight.

Cast Chosen for Everyman

Casting has been completed for the March 23 to April 1 Theatre Department production of Everyman with John Krich and Eric Schneider in lead roles.

The 16th century morality play, under

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the direction of Ralph Allen (Theatre Department Chairman), will have a set designed by Robert Cothran, costumes by Irene Pieper, and lighting by Robert Field.

The 30-member cast of faculty, students and community people includes: David Thatcher, Harriet Allen, Julian Forrester, Dick O'Brien, Doug Cameron, Wandalie Henshaw, Rod Symington, Sheila Punshon, Mary Anne MacNeill, Jamie Kidnie, Randy Cheveldave, Gretchen Krich, Maria Wozniak, Carol Boer, Roger Leeming, Rick Gilchrist, Robert McCappin, Christine Puhl, Patricia Monaghan, Cathy Green, Kevin Carter, Blake Carter, Alan Stichbury, Julian Ross, Mara Loeb, John Linfield and Penny Noble.

Mail orders for tickets are being accepted and the Phoenix Box Office will be open March 20 at 11 am.

Dean Committee Named

President Hugh Farquhar has announced the appointment of five faculty members to a committee to advise on the selection of a Dean of Fine Arts.

The appointment will probably be from within the University. Elected to the committee by the Faculty of Fine Arts: Dr. Siri Gunasinghe (History in Art), Dr. Barbara M. McIntyre (Theatre) and Professor Norman Toynton (Visual Arts).

Two members appointed by the President: Dr. John Peters (English) and Dr. D.J. MacLaurin, Vice-President Academic.

Two other committees are working to fill the positions of Dean of Arts and Science and Dean of Graduate Studies. President Farquhar said, "It is my hope that all positions will be filled as quickly as possible."

Anglo-Irish Dilemma

Alec Reid of Dublin, writer and broadcaster, will lecture on the poetry of Louis MacNeice 12:30 pm, March 14 in Elliott 167.

Mr. Reid, who lectured on Samuel Beckett on campus two years ago, is sponsored by the Department of English. Title of topic this time is "Louis MacNeice and the Anglo-Irish Dilemma."

faculty

The Board of Governors, meeting on Feb. 21, approved the following appointments:

Ruth M. Caron, B.F.A. (Massachusetts), M.S. (U. of Oregon), Victoria, B.C., Visiting Lecturer, Faculty of Education, effective September 1, 1972.

G. Alfred Forsythe, B.A. (Dickinson College), M.S. (N. Carolina), Ph.D.

(Purdue), Durham, N.H., Visiting Asciate Professor, Department of Psychogy, effective July 1, 1972.

Christine Mather, A.R.C.M., M.Mus. (Michigan), Victoria, B.C., Assistant Professor, Department of Music, effective July 1, 1972.

Marvin Shinbrot, B.A., M.A. (Syracuse), Ph.D. (Stanford), Downsview, Ont., Visiting Professor, Department of Mathematics, effective July 1, 1972.

E. Patricia Tsurumi, B.A. (British Columbia), A.M., Ph.D. (Harvard), Amherstview, Ont., Assistant Professor, Department of History, effective July 1, 1972.

Michael S. Elcock, B.A., Director of Athletics, pro tem, effective March 1, 1972

David G. Titterton, General Manager, Alma Mater Society, effective July 1, 1972.

Dr. Donald W. Ball (Sociology) will address the National Symposium on Sport at Queens College, University of New York, March 11 and 12. His topic is "Ascription and Position: A Comparative Analysis of the Politics of Stacking in Professional Football." His trip includes two lectures at the University of Waterloo with representatives from York University and the University of Western Ontario in attendance.

Dr. R.H. Roy (History) recently returned from a lecture tour of three eastern institutions. He spoke on "The Canadian Conscription Crisis in the 1940s" at the United States Army War College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, and attended a seminar on Maritime Strategy at the University of Western Ontario. He also lectured on conscription at the University of Manitoba before returning to Victoria.

calendar of events

SATURDAY 11

all day 9:00 am-12:00 midnight

Alma Mater Society Quality Handcrafts and Fine Arts Fair/SUB Lobby

9:00 am Seventh Annual Neuropsychology Workshop Registration/MacLaurin Building foyer.

7:00 pm Faculty and staff family night/Gym

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Dangerous Visions Part 1" (a)"Fahrenheit 451", (b)"La Jettee", (c)"Alphaville"



SUNDAY 12

9:00 am Seventh Annual Neuropsychology Workshop continues

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Dangerous Visions Part 2" (a)"War of the Worlds", (b)"When Worlds Collide"

MONDAY 13

12:30 pm Lecture/MacLaurin 439. Gerard Tougas, Professor of French Literature, University of British Columbia will speak on "La Francophonie litteraire"

1:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 160. Dr. Donald Fleming, Chemistry Department, University of British Columbia, will speak on "Muons and Muonium Chemistry with TRIUMF"

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144, "Wilder Reiter Gmbh" (German)

TUESDAY 14

12:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 167. Mr. Alec Reid of Dublin, Ireland, will speak on "Louis MacNeice and the Anglo-Irish Dilemma"

1:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 168, Dr. S.L. Macey (English) will speak on "Clocks and Culture"

4:00 pm Co-ed softball league/Softball diamonds near Gym

7:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 168. Dr. Peter Kidson of the Courtauld Institute of Art, London, will speak on "The Achievements of High Gothic"

7:30 pm Lecture/Craigdarroch 206-207. B.A. Yashuk will speak on "Air Pollution", R.J. Frederick will speak on "Mercury Pollution", and W.K.H. Chan will speak on "Thermal Pollution" (Bacteriology and Biochemistry)

8:00 pm Lecture/Commons Block 208/209.
Dr. Leslie Navran of Royal Roads
Military College will speak on "How
Military Colleges Change the Personalities of our Cadets"

8:00 pm Faculty and staff badminton/Gym

WEDNESDAY 15

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Who's Afraid of Virginia Wolfe"

THURSDAY 16

3:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 167. Mr. Paul Reps will speak on "Questionable Zen"

7:30 pm Ladies Basketball League/Gym 9:30 pm Men's Basketball League/Gym

FRIDAY 17

12:40 pm Fitness for female faculty and staff Hut P, Dance Studio

1:30 pm Lecture/MacLaurin 439. Mrs. Helene Cassidy, Professor of French Literature at the University of Wisconsin, will speak on "Le Role des femmes dans les Utopies du 18^e siecle"

1:30 pm Lecture/Commons Block 203/204.
Dr. T.E. Hukari (Linguistics) will speak on "Implication and Contradiction in a Semantic Theory"

3:30 pm Lecture/Commons Block 203/204.
Fr. R. Sherburne of the University of Washington, will speak on "The Description and History of Written Tibetan as Found in the Tibetan Buddist Writings of the 17th Century to the Present"

7:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144, "Elvira Madigan"

9:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Elvira Madigan"

SATURDAY 18

7:00 pm Faculty and staff family night/Gym

7:15 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Modesty Blaise"

9:15pm Film/MacLaurin 144, "Barbarella" 11:00pm Film/MacLaurin 144, "Barbarella"

SUNDAY 19

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Intolerance"

MONDAY 20

8:15 pm Lecture/MacLaurin 144, The Honourable Davie Fulton will speak on "The Law and the Citizen"

TUESDAY 21

1:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 168, Dr. M.J. Ashwood-Smith (Biology) will speak on "Biological Man"

4:00 pm Co-ed Softball League/Softball diamonds near Gym

7:30 pm Lecture/Elliott 168. Dr. Peter Kidson

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of the Courtauld Institute of Art, London, will speak on "Gothic in Southern Europe"

7:30 pm Lecture/Craigdarroch 206/207. Miss Margareta Anderson will speak on "Nitrogen Metabolism" (Bacteriology and Biochemistry)

8:00 pm Faculty and staff badminton/Gym

WEDNESDAY 22

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144. "Othello"

THURSDAY 23

7:30 pm Ladies Basketball League/Gym 8:00 pm Play/Phoenix Theatre. "Everyman"

9:30 pm Men's Basketball League/Gym

FRIDAY 24

12:40 pm Fitness for female faculty and staff Hut P, Dance Studio.

3:30 pm Lecture/Cornett 170. Dr. S.S. Fox,
Professor of Psychology at the University of Iowa, will speak on "The Clock
that Stopped or the Brain as a Time
Machine: Explorations into Functional Coding by Brain Waves"

7:30 pm Film/MacLaurin 144, Beatles Triple Bill: "A Hard Day's Night", "Help" and "Let It Be"

8:00 pm Play/Phoenix Theatre, "Everyman"

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